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PARTY PAYMENT SERVICE

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On Sheet 6 of 18, in Box 206, in Figure 2, line 3, delete "VENDER" and insert - - VENDOR - -, therefor.

In column 4, line 47, delete "by" and insert - - be - -, therefor.

In column 7, lines 33-34, delete "an and" and insert - - and an - -, therefor.

In column 9, line 7, delete "142" and insert - - 142. - -, therefor.

In column 10, line 10, delete "oh" and insert - - on - -, therefor.

In columns 13, lines 34-50, columns 14, lines 1-12, in claim 1, delete

"1. A system comprising:

a web server; and

an integrated shipping server hosted by a third party third-party payment service,
linked in communication with the web server,

the web server and integrated shipping server, acting as an intermediary server between a sender and a shipping vendor, comprising software instructions that when executed enable the sender to arrange for shipment of a package to a recipient via the shipping vendor by performing operations, by the integrated shipping server, including:

generating and serving web pages via which shipping information including sender address is automatically entered into the web pages based on a current user session and an applicable mode, the shipping information being listed with the third-party payment service;

registering the sender with the shipping vendor based on the shipping information;

arranging for the shipment of the package via the shipping vendor, as **the sender's** a proxy of the sender;

interacting with an on-line interface hosted by the shipping vendor, as if an individual user is directly accessing the on-line interface;

receiving shipping data pertaining to the shipment from the shipping vendor, **said** the shipping data including data corresponding to a shipping label; **and generating** and serving a web page via which the shipping label may be printed."

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and insert -- 1. A system comprising:

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the web server and integrated shipping server, acting as an intermediary server between a sender and a shipping vendor, comprising software instructions that when executed enable the sender to arrange for shipment of a package to a recipient via the shipping vendor by performing operations, by the integrated shipping server, including:

generating and serving web pages via which shipping information including sender address is automatically entered into the web pages based on a current user session and an applicable mode, the shipping information being listed with the third party payment service;

registering the sender with the shipping vendor based on the shipping information;

arranging for the shipment of the package via the shipping vendor, as a proxy of the sender;

interacting with an on-line interface hosted by the shipping vendor, as if an individual user is directly accessing the on-line interface;

receiving shipping data pertaining to the shipment from the shipping vendor, the shipping data including data corresponding to a shipping label; **and**

generating and serving a web page via which the shipping label may be printed. --, therefor.

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